report the results who, having retired to the conference room, after a short time, had elapsed, returned and reported, that, on coun-ting the joint ballot of both Houses, they had found there were altogether eighty-nine bol-lots taken; of which number Philemon Chew And received forty-eight votes, and Richard B. Brookes had received forty-one votes,
Whereupon, it was declared and resolved in the House of Delegates, that Philipmon

Chew be, and he is hereby recommended to his Excellency, the Governor of Maryland, to be commissioned as Register of Wills, for It

Prince George's

The house then adjourned.

Fridy a January 22nd, 1830.

The House met at ten o'clock, pursuant to adjournment; and the roll being called over, present the same members as on yesterday; the proceedings of which were read. The Speaker laid before the House a state-

thent from the clerk of Anne Arundel county Court, of monies paid by him into the Trea-surpoof the Western Shore, for the year en-ding on the 1st day of November, 1829, which referred to the committee on Ways and

On motion by Mr. Steele, the resolution submitted by him on the 12th instant, in re-lation to the election of State Bank Directors, was referred to the Select committee appoin-

ted on the subject.

The bill reported by Mr. Hunt on the 16th instant, entitled. An additional supplement to the act, entitled: An act to regulate the quality of silver plate manufactured and sold. offered for sale, in the city of Baltimore, & for other purposes, was taken up for consideration. When,
On motion by Mr. Hunt, it was again laid

Mr McMahon presented a report of the trustee's of Allegany county Academy, in conformity to law, exhibiting the state condition of that institution, the application of the donation from the state to said acade-any, the prices of tuition, and so forth; which report was referred to the committee

Mr. Sutton presented a petition of John Carsins, a captain of a company in the 42nd tegiment of Maryland militia, in Hartford county, praying the passage of a resolution requiring the state's armourer to deliver to him certain arms and accoutrements therein mentioned, on his giving such security for the safe keeping and return of the same, as the governor and council may require; which tion was referred to the committee on the

Mr. Sellman presented a petition of Elizabeth Nichols, and also a petition of Ruth Burgess, both of Anne Arundel county, severally lying for the passage of a law authorising priving for the passage of a law the commissioners of said county to assess & levy upon the assessable property thereof, such sum for the support of each of them, and the infant children of the former, as may seem proper; which petitions were severally refer-red to the committee on county pensions the committee on county pensions

Mr. Hunt presented a petition of Jane Ashton Callis, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband Otho Williams Callies which was referred to the com-

Mr. Buchanan presented a petition of Michael Mason, of Baltimore county, who was a soldier of the revolution, praying the compen-sation for his services; which petition was reconsisting o erred to a Select committee Messrs. Buchanan Turner of Baltimore conn-

ty, and Elv.

Mr. Jemifer presented a petition of Jane tion for the destruction of her house situated in south Charles Street, in said city, on the 27th and 28th days of July, 1812, in the law-27th and 28th days of July, 1812, in the less conflict of two armed parties; which peless conflict of two as elect committee. contition was referred to a select committee, con-sisting of Messes. Jenifer, Hunt and Braw-

ner.
Mr. Done submitted the following resolu-

Resolved, That the committee on Internal tremity of Somerset county, so as to connect the Pocomeke and Annamessex rivers. Which being twice read,

Mr. Teackle proposed a modification there of, by stylking out the first word, 'Resolved and inserting in lieu thereof fordered. Mr. Done accepted the modification, and

was adopted by the House.

The order was then agreed to.

Mr. Buchanan submitted the following mes sage:

By the House of Delegates, 92nd January, 1850.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

This House, on the 20th instant, passed and sent to your honourable body for concurrece, three resolutions, expressive of the high sense they entertain of the gallant conduct sense they entertain of the gallant conduct during the late war, in several well fought battles, of John Contee, Joseph Smoot, and David Geisinger, Esqrs. of this State; and antherising and requiring his Excellency the Everyon, to procure for, and present to, sach of those gentlemen, a sword, in testimomy of the approbation of this Legislature of their gallant conduct; and also, authorising the Governor to draw more the Treesman of the Governor to draw upon the Treasurer of the Western Shore, or such sum or sums of money as he may deem necessary, to carry into affect said resolutions. We now respectifully raquest your honourable body to return to us these resolutions, in order that we may have an opportunity to substitute for them such as an opportunity to substitute for them such as will be quite as complimentary, and we have as dealt, galte as acceptable to the

Lested in the ballot box, it was scaled ay and parties concerned, and in order that we man the gentlemen named on the part of this House, Gently with those appointed by the Senate, to count the joint ballot of both Houses and during the war was not less praise worthy, an and render equal justice to, certain other individuals of this State, whose conduct during the war was not less praise worthy, and who are therefore not less entitled to the respect and consideration of this Legislature.

By order

Gideon Pearce, Clk.

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The said message having been read the first

Mr. Bachanan rapped that the House do now give the said message a second reading; when, Mr. Done moved that the said message be laid on the table.

And the question on the last motion being It was determined in the negative.

The question was then put on the motion of Mr. Buchanan, for a second reading of the

message.
And resolved in the affirmative.
The said message was then read a secon

And after some debate on the subject, Mr. Wootton moved that the said message be laid upon the table.

And the question thereon being propout

It was again decided in the negative. The question was then put, 'Will the house assent to the said message?'

It was resolved in the affirmative-

The clerk of the senate returned the bill this house, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of John Ais quith, administrator of Robert C. Aisquith, late collector of taxes for the city of Baltimore, deceased, and of his securities; endors-ed, "will pass with the proposed amend-ments." Which amendments were read the

first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Also, delivered a bill, originated in, and passed by, the senate, entitled, An act to conon the table, and made the order of the day for Tuesday next, the 26th instant.

Mr. McMahon, presented a metal to the committee on grievances and referred to the committee on grievances.

justice. And delivered a resolution, originated in. and assented to by the senate, relative to the Mr. state's claim to a certain tract of land called word. "Common Garden Corrected," in Harford five. county; which resolution was read the first and, by a special order the second time, and

Mr. Teackle moved the following order:

By the House of Delegates, January 22, 1830. Ordered, That the clerk of this house be instructed to give immediate notice of the a-doption by the legislature, of the resolution relative to the state's claim to a certain tract of land, called 'Common Garden Corrected, in Harford county.

Which was twice read, and adonted. The speaker having announced an invitati on from the Visitors and Governors of St John's College, respectfully requesting the at tendance at the college this day at 11 o'clock A. M. of the members of this house on occa sion of the annual commencement of said col

ege.
Mr. Steele moved, that to afford the mem bers of this house an opportunity of attending he commencement, in compliance with said invitation, the house do now adjourn.

And the question thereon being put, It was resolved in the affirmative The house accordingly adjourned

Saturday, January 23, 1830. The House met at ten o'clock, pursuant to ere present, the same members as on vester lay; the proceedings of which were read.

The message to the Senate adopted vester day; requesting the return of the resolutions (passed by this House on the 20th instant, and hen sent to the Senate for concurrence.) ap-White, of the city of Bultimore, praying the of John Contee, Joseph Smoot, and David passage of an act providing a redress of the Geisinger, natives of this State; and authorisgrievance therein set forth, and a compensating the Governor to procure for, and present to, each of those gentlemen a sword, was sent to the Senate.

And the resolution, (with its preamble,) relative to the States' claim to a certain trac of land called 'Common Garden Corrected,' in Harford county, received from the Senate, nd assented to by this House yesterday, was

returned to the Senate. Mr. Grason presented the petition of Nathan Resolved, That the committee on Internal Allen, of Queen Anne's county, praying for a pension, in consideration of his services as the expediency of having a survey made for his advanced age and indigent circumstances; which arose, which was referred to the Committee on Mili-

tary Pensions and Revolutionary claims. Mr. Wells presented a petition of Rachel Atwell, of Anne Arundel county, praying for such pecuniary relief, by a county assessment as many seem proper and adequate for her maintenance; which petition was referred to the Committee on county Pensions.

praying the passage of an act to regulate the a Supplement to the Act, entitled, An act to inspection and counting of staves in this State; authorise the persons therein named to build a which petition was referred to the Committee Methodist Meeting Houseon the public ground n Inspections,
Mr. Sellman presented a petition of Richard

T. White, of Anna Arundel county, praying for a law divorcing him from his wife Jane-Mr. Shriver presented a petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying for a supplement to the act, entitled, an act for the construction of a canal through Frederick coun ty, whereby the amount of the capital stock of the Canal Company may be increased, and the said company vested with certain powers therein mentioned; which petition was referred to a select committee, consisting of Messra

Shriver, Kinzer, and Dorsey.

Mr. Irving presented a petition of Richard Waller, and others, of Somerset county, praying that a certain road therein described, as

and thereupon measure. McMahon, Dobe, and Brawner, were appointed a beleet committee to prepare and report said bill.

Mr. Jenifer had leave to being in a bill to authorise and empower the Levy Courts of the counties therein mentioned, to after open, or shut up roads in their respective counties, with the right of appeal to the Judges of the said County Courts. said County Court

And therenpon Messrs. Jenifer, McPherson Hawkins, Turner, of Calvert, and Gantt, were appointed a select committee to prepare and report said bill. Mr. Sellman had leave to bring in a bill,

ntitled An act relating to out pensioners for Anne Arundel county.

And thereupon Messrs. Sellman Stewart,

ounty.

And thereupon Messrs. Sudler, Wright & act, entitled, An'act to incorporate the Phoe-Oldson, were appointed a select committee to prepare and report said bill.

Mr. Buskirk moved the following order:

By the House of Delegates,

January 23d, 1830. Ordered, That the Clerk of this House issu subpoenss, (made returnable on Thursday, the 28th instant,) directed to the Sergeant-at Arms, for such witnesses as may be required by the committee on grievances and courts of Justice, to testify before said committee, in the investigation ordered by this House, into licial district of this State.

was twice read and adopted.

Which was twice read and adopted.

Mr. Teackle moved the following order: Ordered, That the committee on inspecti ons, which was instructed to report a bill to provide for the inspection and counting of staves, be discharged from the subject of that reference, and that the same be referred to

elect committee of three.
Which was twice read; and, on motion of Mr. Hunt, amended, by striking out the last ord, 'three,' and inserting in lieu thereof,

The said order, so amended, was then a dopted.

And thereupon Messrs. Teackle, Hitch Hicks, Hunt, and Gough, were appointed the elect committee, pursuant to the order. Mr. Teackle moved the following order:

Ordered. That the bill, entitled, establish the Bank of the State of be made the order of the day for Wednesday, the 10th day of February. Which was twice read; when Mr. Yoe pro-

posed to amend the same by striking out the 10th, and inserting 3d. amendment was accepted by Mr.

Teackle, and adopted by the house. The said order, so amended, was then a

On motion by Mr. Done, it was Resolved. That the committee of ways and neans be instructed to enquire whether der the present license system, keepers of or linaries are compelled to take out a separate license for selling liquors in larger quantitie

han half a pint.
On motion by Mr. Done, it was

Resolved, That the inspectors of tobacco in the warehouses on Dungan's and O'Donnel's wharves, in the city of Beltimore, be requested to report to this house how far they have complied with a resolution passed at the las session of the legislature, authorising them to contract for the building of offices for dealers, on the facant ground belonging to the state, on said wharves

Mr. Burchenal moved the following pream ble and resolutions:

Whereas it is the duty of all legislative bodies to pay strict attention to the interest of their constituents, and to dispose of the funds

Therefore, Resolved by this house. That no token of respect shall be paid to any offi-cer or citizen of this state, during the remainder of this session, other than a vote of thanks for the services which they may have render Which being twice read.

Mr. Orrell moved to amend the resolution by inserting the word "military" between the words "any officer," in the second line there-

Pending the question thereon and the debate Mr. Steele moved a reference of the pro

posed preamble and resolution, and also amendment, to the first day of June next. And the question on this motion of reference being put,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The clerk of the Senate returned the bills of this house entitled a Supplement to the Act, Mr. Teacle presented a petition of William
Daugherty, and others, of Soraerset county, in Chestertown, in Kent county, passed at November session 1801, chapter 37, severally endorsed, will pass with the proposed amend

The amendment proposed by the Senate to each of said bills was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table. And delivered a bill, originated in, and

passed by, the Senate, entitled, An act to incorporate the Protestant Episcopal Sunday School Society of Saint Paul's Parish, Baltimore; which bill was read by its title, and re-

ferred to Messra. Hunt, Nicholas, & Buchanan.

Mr. Buskirk, from the select committee appointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the employment, in this State, of slaves from the State of Virginia, by the President and Directors of the Chesapeaks and Ohio Canal Company, their agents, ac; which bill was read the first time, and, on motionly Mr. Buskirk, it was ordered to lie on the table, and made the crief of the day.

Mr. Nicholas presented a memorial of the Baltimore Section of the senate of Maryland by electry, and the mode of filling vacancies in that her in this State, of slaves from the State of Virginia, by the President and Directors of the Chesapeaks and Ohio Canal Company, their agents, ac; which bill was read the first time, and, on motionly Mr. Buskirk, it was ordered to lie on the table, and made the crief of the day.

Mr. Brawner had leave to introduce a bill, in the state, of wills.

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Mr. McMahon had leave to bring in a bill for Monday, the first day of Yebruary, proxi-entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled An act to regulate the fees of certain efficies.

Mr. Buskirk, as Chairman of the Commit-act to regulate the fees of certain efficies.

Mr. Buskirk, as Chairman of the Commit-tee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, in tee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, in pursuance of an order of the House, of the lifth instant, also reported a bill, entitled, An act to provide for the payment of witnesses Maryland.

Mr. Goldsborough, from the select commit tee to which the subject had been referred, reported abill, entitled, An act to incorporate the black water and Parson's Creek Canal

Company in Dorchester county.

Mr. Nicholas, from the select committee to which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled, arract to incorporate the guar-

dian Institute of Baltimore-Mr. Hant, from the Select Committee, reported a bill, entitled, a further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the opening ported a bill, entitled, a lutther supplies to the act, entitled, An act for the opening tentiary, examine into its condition and the of Monument street, in the city of Baltimore, port thereon to this house, beg leads to re-And thereupon Messa. Select committee and Kent, were appointed a felect committee to prepare and report said bill, Mr. Sudler had leave to bring in a bill to regulate the pay of Jurors in Queen Anne's reported a bill, entitled, a supplement to the

> nix Shot Tower Company, of Baltimore.
> The bill reported by Mr. Goldsborough, or the 9th instant, entitled, An act to reduce one act the several acts of Assembly, relating to the civil jurisdiction of justices of the peace, and to repeal the acts of Assembly therein mentioned, being the order of the day, was taken up for consideration. When

into the 26th instant. instant, entitled An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Rappahannock Steam Packet

Company, was taken up for consideration, On motion by Mr. Turner, of Baltimore county, the said bill was again laid on the table, and it was made the order of the day for Thursday next, the 28th instant.

The bill from the Senate, entitled, a further

supplement to the act, entitled, An act to amend and reduce into one system the laws to direct descents, was taken up for consideration, read the second tine, and passed.

motion by Mr. Bover, the resolution submitted by him, on the 9th instant, provid-ing for the payment of John McNeil, jr. and Philip B. Travilla, their per diem, allowance for attendance at the seat of government, as delega es elect, from the counties of Allegany and Kent, previously to their admissitake seats, as members, in the Housse of Delegetes, agreeably to its decisions, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and

The bill reported by Mr. Brookhart, on the 19th instant, entitled, An act to encourage the apprehension of runaway slaves, was taken up for consideration, when Mr. Burchenal moved apprenension of runawar states, and the process of the process of the said bill do lie on the table, and be which will appear on reference to their report made the order of the day for Tuesday next.

Mr. Golsborough proposed to amend that motion, by striking out "Tuesday, and inser-ting 'We'lnesday."

And on the question will the House agree to this amendment? It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put on the motion of Mr. Burchenal, as amended,

And resolved in the affirmative. On motion by Mr. Swan, The House then adjourned until Monday

Monday, January 25th, 1830. The House met at ten o'clock, pursuant to adjournment, and the roll being called over

were present the same members as on Satur-day, the proceedings of which were read. The bills and the resolution passed by this House on Saturday last, were sent to the Senate for concurrence; the titles whereof are

as follow: An act to confirm and make valid a deed

therein mentioned. An act to alter and repeal the act, entitled An act to alter the present mode of appointing the Justices of the Levy Court of Dorchester county, so that each election district may have one member; passed at December session eighteen hundred and twenty-three, chap.

Mr. Buskirk presented a petition of William Wiland, of Allegany county, praying, for the reasons therein set forth, to be exempted from the operation of the License Laws of this State; which petition was referred to the

committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Buskirk also presented a petition fr several members of the Cumberland Bar. Allegany county, praying for the reasons there in set forth, the passage of a law for the re moval of the Court of Appeals for the Western Shore, from the city of Annapolis to the city of Baltimore: which netition was referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

of Justice.

Mr. Buskirk also presented a communication from the Comptroller of the Treasury of the United States, enclosing a certified copy of the last account rendered by John McNeil junior, as Collector of Internal Revenue for the 9th district of Maryland, being for the quarter ending the 30th September last; which communication, with the accompanying document, was referred to the committee on Elec-

Mr. Highlest presented a communication from A. B. Harrison, relating to the destruction of shell fish, in Talbot county) which was referred to the select committee appointed on the 30th ultimo, to prepare and report a bill 'to promote the preservation, improvement, and increase of shell fish in the state.'

pointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entitled,: An act to abolish all such parts of the constitution and form of government of the state, as provide for the election of four deprets to the general assembly of Marylas from each of the several counties of this state, and two from the city of Annarolist and less

courses on the Signity alds of the sourt for the

And thereupon Messra, Brawner, Jester, and Nicholas, were appointed a select committee to prepare and report said bill.

Mr. Brawner had leave also to introduce a bill, entitled, An act relating to appeals from magistrates' judgments, and directing it was manner a title to real estate may be acquired by sales made under fleri factar insuch by a tices of the peace. And thereupon, Messrs, Brawner, Butist

and Steele, were appointed a selectional tee to prepare and report said bill, and Mr. Buchanan, from the committee there

mentioned, delivered the following report, which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table, viz.

The committee appointed to that the real

That its general condition appears to be prosperous, but that in some particular in-stances, regulations have been introduced, and practices allowed, which in the opinion of your committee, require the intervention of

same per diem, and to discharge the same da-

two dollars each for every day they should at-tend by order of the directors; provided they

remained at least one hour at the Penitentiary,

and one hour at the store on each day as required by law. But it is to be presumed that they did not necessarily spend one hour at the store every Sunday, and that therefore they

were not entitled to receive two dollars each

for every day in the year, Sundays not excepted. Yet each member of the executive

committee did receive \$730 as the amount of

presented to the legislature during its present session. In addition to this they were allow-

ed \$200 each for superintending the new building; and one of them received four has-

dred dollars besides, for other services which

have not been explained. The act of last session, chapter 65, authorises the directors to

grade the salaries of the different officers, but provides that the aggregate amount shall not

exceed the sum expended for the same pure

pose in the year 1824. The directors in gra-ding the salaries have reduced the number of

depots keepers from sixteen to twelve, and have distributed the \$1600; the sum saved by

this reduction, amongst the other officers of the institution, one half of this sum was paid

to the executive committee as already men-

tioned for extra services. This act for grading

may be easily misunderstood and frequently abused. The officers of the Penitentiary like the officers of the government ought to have their salaries fixed and regulated by law.—

They are dependant enough in being contint

ally subject to removal, but they become degraded as well as dependant when the power

is given to the directors to raise or reduce

their compensation, as caprice or partials, may dictate. The privilege allowed the keep-

er of raising hogs and poultry is liable to great abuse, and is conceived to be prejudicial is

the institution. The poultry yard and his pen take up a considerable portion of ground which might be advantageously used for other

purposes, and it is obvious that the feeding and confinement of a number of hogs in a

small lot must be injurious to the health of

As the executive committee minage the

cal concerns of the institution, the law is de-

cal concerns of the institution, he is to be fective in not requiring securities from the for the faithful application of its funds.

The committee believing that their duty is their constituents required them to return to the constituents.

their seats as soon as possible, had neither the time nor the means to go into a fall investiga-tion of the subjects committed to their charge

From the basty examination they were bliged to make, they do not feel authorised propose material changes in the mode of call ducting the business of the Penitentiary but

believing the pusiness of the Pentenuary sibelieving that defects exist in the laws and management thereof, they have prepared a hill for the purpose of providing a remedy.

Als. Als. BUCHANAN, Chairman.

Mr. Orrell, from the select committee appointed for the nurrouse, respected a hill, esti-

salaries gives to the directors a power

They were therefore entitled to receive

Contlemen of the Senate, and of the House of Delegates; the legislature.

By the act of 1809, chapter 138, the in-We herewith transmit for your information a report which we have just received, of the prospectors and keepers are obliged to take as oath, that they would not directly or indirect. and to repeal the acts of Assembly therein mentioned, being the order of the day, was taken up for consideration. When On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, the said bill was ordered to lie on the table, and it was made the order of the day for Tuesday next, the 26th instant.

The bill reported by Mr. Hunt, on the 15th instant, entitled An act to incorporate the instant, entitled An act to incorporate the large of the director, have been allowed to furnish supplies. By the act to incorporate the large of the director, have been allowed to furnish supplies. By the act to incorporate the large of the director, have been allowed to furnish supplies. By the act to incorporate the large of the director, have been allowed to furnish supplies. By the act to incorporate the large of the director, have been allowed to furnish supplies. By the act seedings of the General Assembly, to examine, explore, and survey that section of the river Pocomoke which lies between the town of Snow Hill, in Worchester county and the line of the state of Delaware, and the intermediate country, between the said river and the waters of Sinepuxent bay, and, also, the downward course of the said river, and the country across the southern extremity of Sompassed December session 1826, the superia-tending committee were required to attend erset county,' with a view to the ascertainment of the expediency of the several improve-ments mentioned in the said resolution. three days in every week, and on each of those days at least one hour at the store, and one With highest consideration, hour at the Penitentiary, and were to be allowed two dollars each for every day they should thus necessarily attend. By the actor We have the honour to be, Your obedient servants, THOMAS KING CARROLL. 1827, they were to attend daily, if required The said communication, and the accompanying report, therein mentioned, were re-ferred to the Committee on Internal Improveby the directors. By a subsequent act of the same session, the superintending committee was changed into the executive committee, the members of which were to receive the On motion by Mr. Nicholas, the bill report-

> to incorporate the guardian Institute of Bulti-more, was taken up for consideration, by a special order obtained for the purpose; when. On motion by Mr. Done, the said bill was ordered to lie on the table, and Mr. Done then moved, that the said bill be

al by him on Saturday last, entitled, an act

which the applied included referred, reported will, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act for the construction of a capa

through Frederick county of the bill reported by Mr. Cinger on the 18th instant, entitled, an act to regulate the

minner of vending salt in this State, was tak en up for consideration. When, On motion by Mr. Nicholas, the said bil was again laid on the table, and made the or der of the day for Wednesday next, the 27th

instant.
On motion by Mr. Done (seconded by two
other members,) the vote of the House in a
dupling the last mentioned order, was reconsilered; and the said bill was afterwards re-

ammitted to the committee from which it was reported, for the purpose of amendment; and

the said committee was enlarged, by adding thereto Messrs Done, Nicholas, Hunt, and

And delivered a communication from the

Executive Department, (received and referred

by the Senate to the consideration of this

Executive Department,
Annapolis January 23d, 1830.

House,) which was read, and is as follows:

printed for the use of the Legislative and Exeestive Departments.

After some debate on this motion, Mr. Teackle offered as a substitute therefor, the Collowing order: .
Ordered, That all bills for acts of incorpopation, or otherwise of a public nature, be printed for the use of the Legislative and

Secutive Departments.
Which was twice read and adopted.
At twelve o'clock the House proceeded to consider the order of the day, in reference to

the report of the Joint Committee on the sub-ject of an early adjournment of the present session of the General Assembly. When Mr. McMahon moved, that the fur-ther consideration of the said order be post-

poned; and, that the said report do lie on the And the question thereon being put,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The message to the Senate, moxed by Mr. Buskirk on the 21st instant, proposing an in-quiry relative to the execution of the public printing contracted for this session, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, and assented to.
On motion by Mr. Buchanan,
The House then adjourned until to-morrow

morning ten o'elock. Tuesday, January 26th. The house met pursuant to adjournment.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The speaker laid before the house the annual report, of the trustees of the University of Maryland, to the legislature on the affairs of the institution, under their government, ac mpanied by the annual account of the trea surer thereof, shewing the pecuniary condition of the institution and the stock on hand; which report and account were referred to the

sommittee on education.

Also, a report from the treasurer for the tastern shore, accompanied by a statement shewing the outstanding balances upon the books of the treasury of said shore; against whom, and when they severally became due; prepared and transmitted in obedience to the seder of this house of the 6th instant.

And a report of the sheriff of Prince-Georges county, transmitted in obedience to a resolution of the general assembly passed at Do sember session 1827, No. 70, stating that he had paid no money into the public treasury for and on account of the year ending on the 30th November last, for the reasons therein

Ordered. That the said report and state mint from the treasurer for the eastern shore, and the report last mentioned, be severally referred to the committee on ways and means. Mr. Shriver presented a memorial of the members of the Bar of Prederick county court,

Mr. Shriver presented a memorial of the members of the Har of Prederick county court, praying that a law may pass requiring the court of appeals of this state, for the western shore, to hold their December session, annually, in the city of Baltimore, for the trial of all appeals from Allegany, Washington, Frederick, Harford, and Baltimore city and county; and such appeals from the court of chancery as are made on cases arising in said counties and city.

Mr. Gantt presented a petition of Hester Belli Majan of Phince Georges, county praying the passage of a law appointing her the trustee for her inaster son, Howell Mr. Moran for the purpose therein mentioned Ordered, That the memorial and petition, that mentoned, he herefully referred to the committee or Crieve saces and court of justice.